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THE PRODUCTION OF LEATHER

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Restriction/Election of Species Requirement mailed June 4, 2007, Applicants provisionally elect, with traverse, the invention of Group I, and the species A, formula XVa. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the following:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.